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1,000 Work Horses and Mares 1,000

200 Young Blocky-Built Mules 200

TO BE POSITIVELY SOLD.

HORSES, $35 TO $85.

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Ages 5 to 8 years old, weighing 1,000 to 1,400 pounds; all good serviceable stock; right out of hard work. Also, 20 young, fat Mares, slightly pavement sore (will come sound in the country), and 8 mares that have proven to be in foal very cheap. These Horses, Mares and Mules will suit any business purposes or would make excellent farm animals.

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The Mutual Fire Insurance Co.,

OF KENT COUNTY.

The Saving to Insurers in this Company During the Past 12 Years Has Been From 40% to 50%.

The cost of insurance last year was about one-third of the premiums paid, the balance remaining to the credit of the policy holder.

During the last 12 years the Company has returned to its policy holders where policies have been cancelled, $60,000, and at the same time has maintained its assets.

Dec. 31, 1908, it held in bonds, stock, mortgages and cash -	$ 72,424.00
Premium notes - - -	201,479.00
Total assets - - -	$273,903.00

Applications for INSURANCE can be made to

James Brice, Chestertown, Md.
E. S. Valliant & Sons, Church Hill, Md.
F. H. Ruth, Galena, Md.
George E. Owens, Betterton, Md.
Ellsworth Bowers, Lynch, Md.
Joseph Downey, Rock Hall, Md
A. M. Kendall, Fairlee, Md.
R. W. Moffett, Millington, Md.
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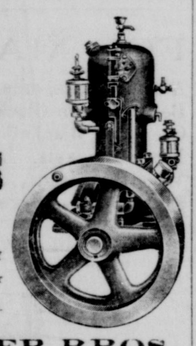

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Ask the hundreds of shareholders in this Company, (who have received over 6 per ct. on their investment) what they think of us—and their answer will compel you to act - - -

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CHESTERTOWN, - - - MD

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphan's Court of Kent county letters of administration on the estate in Kent county, Maryland of

MARY H. BURCHINAL,

late of Kent county Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 2nd day of September, 1909, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. All indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber.

Given under my hand this 2nd day of March, 1909.

MARION DEK. SMITH, Executor.

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for children: safe, sure. No opiates.

DON'T COUGH

No one should permit a cough or cold to run unchecked. Serious throat or lung trouble is likely to follow. Use, and use promptly,

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup

which quickly relieves and cures colds, coughs, bronchitis, whooping-cough, measles, croup, and prevents pneumonia and consumption.

Trial Bottle Free.

We have absolute confidence in Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup and to convince you that it will cure, we will send a trial bottle free to all who will write us and mention this paper. A. C. Meyer & Co., Baltimore, Md.

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Ask for Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. Insist on having it. There is no remedy better or "just as good": It is the old reliable cure. Price 25c., 50c. and $1.00.

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Prices Reasonable. Work Guaranteed. Cemetery Posts, $1.00 and up.

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Successor to A. L. Davidson.

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Tender Beef

You can't expect to get it unless you deal with a butcher who handles nice cattle.

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the UP-TOWN BUTCHER, kills only the best cattle, and hence is able to serve you with

A CHOICE STEAK, ROAST, ETC.

Just give us a trial, or ask some of our customers. We will try to treat you so you will want to deal with us always. We also handle Salt Meats.

A RELIGIOUS AUTHOR'S STATEMENT

Rev. Joseph H. Fesperman, Salisbury, N. C., who is the author of several books, writes: "For several years I was afflicted with kidney trouble and last winter I was suddenly stricken with a severe pain in my kidneys and was confined to bed eight days, unable to get up without assistance. My urine contained a thick, white sediment and I passed same frequently day and night. I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Remedy and the pain gradually abated and finally ceased and my urine became normal. I cheerfully recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy." Sold by all druggists.

THE OLD RELIABLE

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John F. Howard,

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Informs his friends and the public that he is still at his old stand on Court street and ready to serve them. HARNESS, LAP ROBES, CARRIAGE WORK and all kind of repairing. Give us a call

JOHN F. HOWARD.

Foley's Honey and Tar

Will cure a cough or cold no matter how severe and prevent pneumonia and consumption.

A Guarantee.

This is to certify that all druggists are authorized to refund your money if Foley's Honey and Tar fails to cure your cough or cold. Contains no opiates. The genuine is in a yellow package. REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

SIMPLE REMEDY FOR LA GRIPPE.

La grippe coughs are dangerous as they frequently develop into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

Conference of the County Commissioners

Governor Crothers is making a great record for himself and saving the people of the State thousands of dollars a year by his splendid business methods. He is to hold a conference with the County Commissioners of the State at an early date and talk over with them the best method of building roads and keeping the old roads in repair. He says:

I have had the idea in my mind for some time of calling the heads of these County Commissioners together to talk with them over certain matters which I deem of great importance. One of these is the road proposition. The state has embarked upon a comprehensive and intelligent plan of building a general system of State roads, but this work, when completed will not really be adequate, nor will it mean what it should do to the people of the State, unless it is supplemented by the counties themselves. Every practical man in the counties must realize this, and I am sure the County Commissioners realize it.

"The thing that is desirable is not only that the counties should themselves construct lateral and supplementary roads, so as to complete and fill out the State system, but that these roads should be constructed in the right way and should be maintained, mended and repaired in the right way. It is vital to the State that every dollar spent in mending roads and in building them should count. It is vital that the State and the county should get alike a dollar's worth for every dollar they spend.

"This can only be done, in my judgment, by getting together conferring on this matter and arranging a system by which to have uniform roads with a maximum of endurance and a minimum of cost. This is one of the things which I am anxious to have the County Commissioners take up and upon which I believe far more can be accomplished if they will exchange ideas and co operate, than if each county goes ahead upon its own hook, regardless of what is being done in adjacent counties.

SEES END OF ORCHARDS.

Frederick, Md., March 20.—Charles E. Klein, local representative of the Maryland State Horticultural Department, after an inspection of fruit trees, said that at the present rate of the destruction by the San Jose scale this county will in a few years, unless something is done to stem the ravages of the pest, be left entirely without fruit. He says he saw thousands of trees that are going to die because comparatively nothing is being done to prevent it. In two years more, if the rate of destruction continues like last summer, said Mr. Klein, one-half of all the fruit trees in the orchards of Woodsboro, Mount Pleasant, Liberty, New Market, Kemptown, Middletown and Jefferson will be lost. He attributes the rapid spread of the scale to the osage orange hedges. In going from one place to another Mr. Klein said it was a pitiful sight to see fruit trees dying by the thousands largely through neglect. He estimates that if nothing is done to stop the pests the orchards of the county will be wiped out in five years.

MORE than thirteen million pieces of mail matter were sent to the Dead Letter office last year, principally because of carelessness in writing the addresses. If these thirteen million pieces had been sent in packages having the address of the writer on them, they would have been returned to the writer instead of going to the Dead Letter office. Whether you live on a farm or in town you should have printed letter or note heads and envelopes. This printing is done quickly and cheaply at the KENT NEWS office.

A new addition to the line. The best of leather, workmanship and fittings is put into "The Tailor Made." The pride of Dolly Madison. Retailing at $4.00. For sale at representative shoe stores.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney and bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. Cures backache and irregularities that if neglected might result in Bright's disease or diabetes. Sold by all druggists.

The calender year of the Kent county Mutual Fire Insurance Company closed December 31, 1908. The company has had a good year's business at a very low cost of insurance.

THE CLOSING STATEMENT SHOWS:

First that its total income was...	$14,371.00
Second its total loss by fire and expenses....	3,976.00
Third its excess of income over all loss and expenses.....	10,315.00

In other words it has only cost the insured about ¼ of the premiums paid to carry their insurance. At the same time the company has returned to its Policy Holders whose policies have been cancelled the sum of $3,748.00. During the past 8 years the company has returned to its policy holders over $36,000.00.

Its policies, 12 years old show to their credit nearly 40 per cent. of all payments to the company.

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision for over 30 years. Allow no one to deceive you in this. Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments, and endanger the health of Children—Experience against Experiment.

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THE BIGGEST Furniture House ON THE SHORE.

Our Vast Stock of Furniture, Carpet, Mattresses, Lace Curtains, Portieres, Window Shades, Wall Papers, Paints, Leads, Linseed Oil, Window Glass, Oil Cloth and Linoleum is now ready. Come see us before buying. We can save you money.

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NEW SPRING GOODS IN EVERY DEPARTMENT

We believe in starting right and for this season we offer some very unusual values in CLOTHING, SHOES, DRY GOODS, LADIES' WAISTS and SKIRTS, CARPETS, MATTINGS, OIL CLOTH and LINOLEUM, and a complete line of LADIES' and GENT'S FURNISHINGS.

Shoes: Quality and Style

If your Shoes are not giving you satisfaction that shoes ought to, you have bought shoes without the maker's guarantee back of them.

Our line consists of the choice of the best shoe makers of the world. Try the next pair from our selected stock; we sell you the quality and give you style free of charge with every pair of shoes.

W. L. Douglass, high and low shoes for men and boys from.....	$1.50 to $4.00
All America, high and low shoes for men.....	$3.50
The Signet, high and low shoes, for men.....	$3.00
The Reliance, high and low shoes, for men.....	$2.50
Dolly Madison, high and low shoes, ladies'.....	$3.00
The Mayfair, high and low shoes, for ladies.....	$3.00
The Star Line, high and low shoes, for ladies.....	$2.00
The Satin Line, high and low shoes, for ladies.....	1.50
The Velvet ladies high & low shoes	1.25
A special line of little men and little woman. The Walton.....	from 85c to $1.50
The Marvel Line, little men and little women.....	from $1.00 to $1.50

All above lines are strictly solid leather. We have them in the newest Spring styles, Vici Kid, Gun Metal, Pat Colt, Russian Calf, each complete in all details.

Clothing Values

This season's styles of Men's and Boys' Clothing is the nobbiest ever exhibited in this peninsula. The only way you can get the same goods elsewhere is to pay more money than we ask for. We are in the position to undersell anybody in this line from 15 to 25 per cent.

Men and Young Men's Suits.....	from $5.00 to $15.00
Children's Suits from.....	$1.25 to $5.00
Separate Trousers.....	98c to $5.00

A complete line of merchant tailoring samples, suits made to order $12.50 to $30.00, guarantee fit or no sale.

Dry Goods Specials

Our Spring Dry Goods this season is up to date in style and quality, everything new, this season's make at rock bottom prices, first quality only, Simpson's silver gray calico, best quality...6c

America's Light Shirting.....	6c
Simpson's light and dark blue calico...	6c
The best Apron Gingham.....	6c
12c Percale.....	10c
12c Dress Gingham.....	10c
10c Percale.....	8c
9c Unbleached Sheeting.....	7c
8c Unbleached Sheeting.....	6c
12½c Bleached Muslin.....	10c
10c Bleached Muslin.....	8c
India Linon.....	from 8 to 20c

from 2c to 5c cheaper than last season.

A complete line Laces and Embroideries from 3 to 25c a yd. All new goods.

Mattings Mattings

We just received a complete new line of China and Japanese Matting, 1909 designs, the new patterns are beautiful this season, prices are lower than last season. Come in and let us give you our prices and we guarantee that the same goods could not be duplicated nowhere at our prices.

We start China Matting for 9c to 25c yd. Japanese Matting.....from 12½ to 30c

A full line of Oil Cloth and Linoleum, it will pay you to buy the above lines from our selected stock.

HEADQUARTERS FOR

Waists and Skirts

A complete line in the leading styles at prices at almost half what others ask for goods like them; we can sell you a skirt or a waist cheaper than you could buy the material to make them. Come in and look at them when we will tell you the price you will agree with us that our statement is correct.

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EGGS WANTED—will pay Highest Market Price

Carey's Magnesia Roofing

Paroid Roofing

Alpha Portland Cement

The standard of cements are bought in large quantities and sold exclusively by

J. D. BACCHUS

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REO IS the BEST This Statement admits of no Contradiction.

P. E. CORKRAN,

District Agent,

EASTON, MD.

will prove this to you so conclusively that you cannot have a doubt, if yau let him try.

No one desires to throw money away. We have the mathematical and mechanical causes which produce effects. These make a dollar of REO do the work of two dollars in the same grade of any other machine.

4992 Miles without a stop!

The Reo holds the world's non-stop engine record. It shattered all previous non stop records last April, when the spunky 2-cylinder 20-horsepower Reo Roadster—a regular stock car—left the best previous 2-cylinder record 1992 miles behind, and even beat the 2-cylinder record by 86. The engine ran night and day for twelve consecutive days. This car averaged 415 miles a day and maintained an average speed of 18 miles per hour. It was the greatest reliability test in motoring history.

What is wanted of an automobile.

First of all; to get-there-and-back-again, always. Reliability is the hackneyed and "un-lived-up-to-name" for it.

Second: to be able to travel all day at thirty miles an hour, and hit it up to forty when you want to

Third: to have such a reserve of power (or such splendid application of power), that grades will be hardly noticeable and stiff hills can be climbed without much loss of speed and time.

Fourth: to be comfortable and safe.

Fifth: to be so well constructed that the vital points don't give way at a critical moment.

Sixth: to have beautiful design and finish.

All these qualities are found in the Reo for 1909.

Don't miss this!

Don't miss get-there-and-back ability. No matter what you pay for your car, get that. You can get it for $500 or $1,000 in a Reo. You can get it for $4,500 or more in a big car.

But get it.

Don't miss real power, the kind that levels hills. Don't mistake a lot of wasted horse-power for that. Wasted power in a motor-car is like bad temper in a man—wears it out and does nobody any good.

Get real power!

Don't get a car that looks better than it is, and is apt to be in the repairshop when you want to go motoring.

Whatever you pay for your car, get the real thing; get motoring every day in the year, and pay what it costs. $1,000 and $500 in a Reo.

Talk is cheap, but proof convinces

With sensible driving, repairs on a Reo are next to nothing. With average driving the tires on a Reo will last from 2 to 4 years.

On the Gildden Tour of 1908 under the same condition and same days some of the shaft driven cars average 6 to 7 miles per gallon of gasoline. Reo averaged 19½.

The Reo has direct single chain drive average loss of power from motor to wheel in chain drive is less than 4% average loss in most shaft drive is 26%. This average is official.

It is of vital interest to the prospective purchaser to know that out of 30 starters in the memorable run from Chicago to St. Paul, through fearful rainstorms and mud, the Reo was one of only 3 cars that finished on their own wheels. Out of 58 starters from Los Angeles to Santa Barbara, the Reo made the only perfect score in its class.

In the 1907 Gildden Tour the Reo beat 48 cars of double and tripple its price beat 24 cars costing $4,000 or more, 10 of them costing $5,000 each.

Was the only car of 80 that took "Four-mile Hill" near Bedford Springs on high gear.

Was the only car of its price, and with one exception the only car of less than double its price, that finished with a perfect score.

Four of the $500 Reo Runabouts in the New York Motor Club's six day economy run of 682 miles at an exact cost of ½ of a cent per mile per passenger.

The chain is encased in a leather boot dirt proof and oiled from cylinders.

Cylinders double opposed 4½x6 inch stroke.

The REO has its Full Rated Power

Figure the bore and stroke to see if other automobiles have the power they are rated to be.

Reo's fastest record is a mile in 59 seconds, safety spark, foot accelerator for the throttle.

Highest grade lamp equipment with genuine Bausch & Lomb mirror lenses in gas lamps.

The Reo owner needs no chaffeur, the mechanism is simple enough to be easily adjusted by anyone.

I will give free lessons how to operate on road. Ignition in detail, systematically how to locate trouble, also care of engine with proper amounts of different oil to use.

This alone should restore confidence to the prospective purchaser, with the world's best record now held by the Reo and sworn to before a Notary Public. You can't get away from sworn figures.

Folding wind shields and Stewart speedometers, ball-bearings on axle and steering spindles and pins.

Because of the perfect score of 1907 the Reo was chosen to pilot the contesting cars in 1908 in the Glidden Tour and came out now holding the world's record and was chosen officially to pilot the big 4 and 6 cylinders running off the tie.

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